

## Y-12 PLANT WINS NSC 'AWARD OF HONOR'



EARL GOODE, CASHIER AND TRAVEL DEPARTMENT SUPERVISOR, LOOKS ON AS MISS Jane Wauford, center, seated, American Air Lines ticket agent from Knoxville, instructs Sue Gragg, left, and Barbara Shuler in the picture at left how to make out airline tickets for Y-12ers making official Company trips via airplane. At right Sue Gragg is operating the teletype machine used for obtaining hotel reservations for Y-12 travelers.



SIMULATING A Y-12 EMPLOYEE preparing to make an official Company trip by airplane, Goode, right, is accepting an airline ticket, expense money advance and other papers from Cashier T. A. Williams.

### General Electric Physicist To Address Seminar Session

Dr. Milan D. Fisk, of the General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y., will speak at a meeting of the Oak Ridge Physics Seminar at 3:15 o'clock Friday afternoon, May 7. The session will be held in the auditorium of Bldg. 4500, the new research building of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory. Dr. Fisk's topic will be "The Effect of Pressure and Superconductivity" and all Y-12ers interested in the address are invited to attend.

### PORK CHOW MEIN, STEAMED RICE, NOODLES TOPS SPECIAL LUNCH

The Y-12 Cafeteria will offer pork chow mein with steamed rice and Chinese noodles as the entree on the 50-cent Thursday Special Lunch tomorrow, Thursday, May 6. The lunch also will include a vegetable, choice of salad or dessert and rolls and butter.



AFTER RETURNING FROM AN OFFICIAL COMPANY business trip, all Y-12 travelers report to Expense Accounts Clerk Audrey Baldwin and Edwin Penland, filing expense records and making a final settlement on the journey.

### Official Y-12 Travelers Now Save Time In Obtaining Air Tickets By New System

A new system for issuing airplane transportation tickets for all Carbide employees in the Y-12 Plant Area making trips on official Company business has been installed by the Cashier and Travel Office, Bldg. 9704-2. The new system includes issuing the tickets directly at the Cashier and Travel Office, resulting in a considerable saving in time for the traveler in obtaining the necessary transportation.

The new system also is in effect at the K-25 Plant and the Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

#### Quick Action Assured

By issuing the tickets directly at the Cashier and Travel Office the old method of having to send to airline ticket offices in Knoxville for the tickets is made unnecessary. Now it is possible for a traveler from the Y-12 Plant Area, especially if pressed for time, to obtain airline tickets, hotel reservations and all necessary travel papers within a few minutes.

The new ticket selling system that covers all four airlines serving Knoxville—American, Delta, Capitol and Piedmont as well as any airline in North America—was installed in the Y-12 Cashier and Travel Office last week by Miss Jane Wauford, American Air Lines ticket agent in Knoxville who instructed the Y-12 personnel handling transportation matters on details of issuing tickets.

#### How New System Works

Here's how the issuing of airline transportation for Y-12 trav-

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### Clyde Bowles Painfully Hurt In Freak Automobile Mishap

J. Clyde Bowles, Engineering Division Head in the Maintenance Division, suffered painful injuries in a freak automobile accident last week and was hospitalized for several days at the Oak Ridge Hospital. His left leg bone between the ankle and knee was badly bruised and chipped and cuts were sustained on both ears requiring several stitches to close.

Reports of the accident say Bowles was attempting to stop an unattended rolling car in front of his home, 103 Oglethorpe, Oak Ridge, which started to move when the brakes failed to hold. The Y-12er opened the left front door and grabbed for the steering wheel but caught the horn ring instead. The ring broke loose and inflicted the head cuts. The leg injury was received when the rolling car hit a tree, slamming the open door against him after the car had crossed the curbing and was headed for a neighbor's yard.

## More Than 2,000,000 Hours Placed On Scoreboard Toward New Mark

### Y-12's Record Of 3,126,787 Man-Hours Of Work Without Disabling Accident Brings New Honor

For its feat of operating 3,126,787 man-hours without a disabling injury from July 30 to November 20, 1953, the Y-12 Plant has been awarded the highest citation of the National Safety Council—the Award of Honor. The plant previously has received an Award of Merit and a Distinguished Service For Safety Award from the National Safety Council for its outstanding safety record over the past several years.

Word that the Y-12 Plant had been granted the Award of Honor came in a letter from Ned H. Dearborn, president of the National Safety Council, to Clark E. Center, vice president of Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company.

"Congratulations," wrote the National Safety Council president to the Carbide vice president,—"the heartiest and special congratulations of the directors and staff of the National Safety Council on your fine safety performance—truly a job well done."

#### Best Record In Company

That 3,126,787 hours of accident-free plant operation by Y-12 employees without a lost time accident established last year represented the ninth and tenth periods of more than 1,500,000 hours of operation in which no disabling mishaps were recorded to be posted by Y-12ers. It was not only a record-breaking achievement for Y-12ers but was the best safety record ever established by any unit in the Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company. The Y-12 record-breaking period extended over 114 days.

#### Good New Start Made

The Y-12 Plant continued on its latest accident-free period over the past week end and it was unofficially estimated that through last Sunday, May 2, the plant had operated for 2,046,389 hours without a disabling mishap over the previous 66 days. This is regarded as an excellent start for Y-12ers toward shattering the plant's previous record made last year that won the National Safety Council Award of Honor, another bronze Safety Service Bar from the Company for the plant and individual prizes valued at \$5 each for every employee on the payroll during the safety period of 114 days.

#### 5,000,000 Hours Next Goal

Under Company rules covering individual awards, when a plant has exceeded 5,000,000 hours of accident-free operation individual employees eligible for personal awards will receive articles valued at \$10. That is the present Y-12 goal.

### Hannan And Shanklin Are Promoted By UCC

Morse G. Dial, President of Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation, has announced that Kenneth H. Hannan has been elected Vice President and John F. Shanklin Treasurer of the Corporation. The new Vice President, who has been Secretary and Treasurer of the Corporation since 1952, retains his post as Secretary.

Union Carbide's new Vice President joined the Law Department of the Corporation in 1936 after his graduation from the Yale University law school. He served in the United States Navy from 1941



K. H. Hannan J. F. Shanklin

through 1945, rising from the rank of Ensign to Lieutenant Commander. Returning to the Finance Department of Union Carbide, he became Secretary and Assistant Treasurer in 1949.

The new Corporation Treasurer joined Union Carbide in 1934 at the Whiting, Ind., Plant of Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company, a Division of Union Carbide. He is a graduate of Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind. He advanced to the General Accounting Department of UCC in New York in 1941, the Finance Department in 1949 and was named Assistant Secretary and Assistant Treasurer in 1952.

### New Post Office Box Speeds Mail Delivery To Y-12

In a move to expedite mail deliveries to and from the Y-12 Plant Area the mailing address of the Y-12 Plant has been changed from Post Office Box P to Post Office Box Y. Pending receipt by Stationery Stores of revised forms to cover the change of address, all Y-12 personnel should change all documents to read Post Office Box Y. This change was made effective on Monday, May 3, and should greatly speed up handling of both incoming and outgoing mail and parcel post.

### SAFETY SCOREBOARD

The Y-12 Plant Has Operated

66 Days or  
2,046,389 Hours  
(Unofficial Estimate)

Without A Lost Time  
Accident  
Through May 2



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## Official Travelers Save Time On Tickets

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On receiving authority for an official trip via airline, the Y-12-er first contacts the reservations office where the travel order is on file. Airplane space on the desired flight is confirmed by telephone with the Knoxville ticket office of the line over which the traveler will make the trip. Through teletype service connecting with Western Union, hotel reservations also are made and confirmed.

### Expense Book Is Issued

Then comes the actual issuing of the airline ticket, followed by making any cash advance required by the traveler. A travel expense book and trip itinerary giving schedules also is issued the traveler, along with a copy of the hotel reservation confirmation.

Limousine service to the airport also is arranged for the traveler.

On returning from an official Company business trip the traveler checks in with the expense accounts clerk; presenting receipted hotel bills and other expense matters with receipts as required. These expenses are checked against the travel allowance permitted the traveler and the cash advance issued and a final settlement made.

### 100 Trips Handled Monthly

The overall time saving in the new system and the added convenience to travelers is shown in the fact that approximately 100 official Company business trips via airline are handled by the Cashier and Travel Office every month.

Earl Goode is Supervisor of the Cashier and Travel Department and in charge of the transportation matters for Carbide employees in the Y-12 Plant Area. In the reservations office are Barbara Shuler and Sue Gragg. T. A. Williams and J. O. Norman handle the money matters while Audrey Baldwin and Edwin Penland handle expense accounts for returning travelers.

## Cost Accountants To Hold Final Meeting On May 18

The Knoxville-Oak Ridge Section of the National Association of Cost Accountants will hold its final meeting of the season on Tuesday, May 18, at the Oak Terrace Starlight Room. The meeting will begin with a fellowship meeting at 6:30 p.m., followed by a dinner at 7 p.m. and a business meeting at 7:45 p.m.

Ralph S. Johns, managing partner of the Chicago office of Haskins and Sells, certified public accountants, will speak at the business session. Other business will include nomination and election of officers for the coming year. All Y-12ers interested in cost accounting are invited to attend the sessions.

In the ordinary business of life, industry can do anything which genius can do, and very many things which it cannot—Henry Ward Beecher.



**Today's Safety Slogan—"Watch Out for School Children—Especially if They Are Driving Automobiles." Now—let's keep our own little safety string going along.**

### CHEMICAL DIVISION

The Chemical Department is deeply sympathetic for S. A. Fink, who lost two sisters by death last week—one in Greeneville, Tenn., and the other in Illinois . . . J. C. Nelson spent his week's vacation fishing at Dale Hollow Lake—he took Lee Pruitt along for company and to count the catch . . . J. C. Fox was another vacationer last week . . . Get well wishes go to J. S. Christmas and R. A. Bates, a pair of hospitalized folks.

Their Flood, of Product Processing, and her husband Charles, were among the Kentucky Derby throng last Saturday at Louisville.

### INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS DIVISION

About the most discussed topic of talk by friends of a former gal employee around Y-12 for the last few weeks was "when will Winnie's baby arrive?" Whose? "Winnie" is Mrs. Perry Cross, the former Winnie Miller, of the Nursing Office, whose wedding rivaled the "big blizzard of 1952" for news value around these parts. Her son was born April 24 at St. Mary's Hospital, Knoxville, weighed seven pounds, six and one-quarter ounces and was named Alvin Miller Cross. Mother and son are visiting in Lenoir City before returning to their home in Albany, Ky.

Maude Clemmer, Medical, spent the past week at Cleveland, Tenn. Fire Dept. Chief W. O. Elam did a lot of chores around his new Heiskell farm while vacationing last week—he calls THAT a vacation?)

The Cafeteria extends condolences to David Treece on the death of his brother at Morristown . . . Get well wishes go to W. A. Monroe, ill in Blount Memorial Hospital at Maryville . . . Edna Campbell vacationed at her Coalfield home . . . Jesse Durrett did a little (it says here) fishing while vacationing at Gulf Shores, Ala. (and what else is there to do there?)

Edna Kennedy, of Wage Standards, and her husband, Ernest, Planning and Estimating, are laying plans for next week's vacation—to be spent quietly at home.

### MAINTENANCE DIVISION

Ben Houser, Planning and Estimating, was receiving get well wishes while hospitalized last week.

Salvage sends us that M. Patterson is vacationing at home at Clinton this week.

Transportation and Buildings and Grounds are combining news efforts this week . . . Avery Kendig has been hospitalized for several days—nothing serious . . . Lot of folks vacationing—J. W. Rains, R. A. Bowling, G. Craig, D. O. Dehart, C. S. May for a couple of weeks and R. O. Miller, L. H. Davis, G. L. Howard, M. H. Strickland, G. Green, G. F. Nelson and B. A. Price for one . . . Another was W. P. Moore who is flying to Daytona Beach (South Oak Ridge) for the week . . . Sympathy is sent R. M. Martin, whose mother-in-law died recently at Chattsworth, Ga. . . Lillie Cobble and her husband Ernest, got back alive (no pelicans) from a Treasure Island, Fla., vacation with W. H. Haase, Sr., former Y-12er.

The nation's southernmost city, Key West, Fla., is host to J. K. Olmstead, Field Maintenance, while vacationing for a couple of weeks . . . Henry Moore stuck closer to home and was picking strawberries near Kingston . . . C. A. Baer outdid Olmstead and went all the way to Havana for

his two-week vacation . . . J. D. Helton is heading over Nashville way and then to Arkansas . . . Trout fishing in Virginia attracts H. C. Gardner . . . A. T. Goodwin is visiting relatives in Birmingham this week . . . O. L. Williams is welcomed to the roster . . . The aiming list includes A. Scarlet, J. E. Shoffner, C. M. Goodlin and Morris Bailis . . . Sympathy is extended to E. W. Mynatt, whose father died last week in Knoxville.

Research Services sends get well wishes to J. W. Woody and F. O. Gaddis . . . Department vacationers are J. T. Parker, A. D. Justus and R. S. Chambers.

Electrical Maintenance had L. R. Fisher vacationing last week and extended a welcome to newcomer V. Morphis.

Gertrude Scarlett, of the Laundry Department, was concerned last week over the illness of her husband in Ft. Sanders Hospital, Knoxville . . . Sarah Corum is just staying at home while vacationing.

### MECHANICAL OPERATIONS DIVISION

Walter Sherrod, of Mechanical Training, vacationed in Knoxville last week supervising the start of work on his new home.

General Machine Shop folks were congratulating A. D. Hickey and E. H. Johnson last week after their daughters, Patricia Ann and Marie, respectively, were selected for the National Honor Society—the girls are Oak Ridge High School students . . . Quite a number of vacationers—Albert H. Johnson at Martel, G. B. Borella, at Birmingham Ala., and R. C. Crawford, J. H. Eidson, E. A. Fritts, G. W. Puckett and G. F. Stines at destinations unreported, also D. L. Hall, B. A. Murr and J. F. Stephens in Oak Ridge . . . W. E. Lamb and R. F. Graham were sick folks last week and were sent get well wishes by their buddies.

### MANUFACTURING OFFICE DIVISION

Newcomer Correspondent Ross Eichorn, out at Property Sales, got by the censor with reports that Jim Garner is passing out cigars following a blessed female event in his family . . . He also has some dental remarks to make about Sarah Fries and her new TV set . . . More remarks about O. W. Patrick and a Petros bus (quite unclear, here, Ross). . . Wow! Here's a honey (Stella Gammel is back from the transfer of her new domicile)—Huh?—A last parting shot that the Tennessee Ramp Association had better look to its laurels as George Sloan and Jack Armes are in competition . . . Sorta stinkin', eh?

Receiving and Shipping reports J. E. Kimblin and L. D. Nicely ill last week and wish to extend quick recovery wishes.

C. E. Fritts at Clinton and H. J. Continued on Page 4

## Sons And Daughters Will Pay Tribute On Observance Of Mother's Day Sunday

Although its original meaning and thought has been somewhat besmirched down the years by commercialism, grateful sons and daughters in a large part of the world will observe Mother's Day next Sunday, May 9.

The observance of Mother's Day, now fixed as the second Sunday in May, dates back to the spring of 1907 and the inspiration of Miss Anna M. Jarvis, of Philadelphia, Pa. Holding that sons and daughters at least once a year should pay tribute to their mothers, she arranged for a special mother's service in a Philadelphia church. The appealing idea spread from that small beginning until today Mother's Day has a heart-warm-



Mrs. Thomas B. Hendrix

## Camera Club Sets Talk By Photographer

"Photographing The Smoky Mountains" will be the subject of a talk by Carlos Campbell, Knoxville writer and photographer, at the next meeting of the Carbide Camera Club set for 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night, May 11. The meeting will be held in the club headquarters in the Y-12 East Portal building.

In addition to the talk by Campbell, the club will stage a color slide contest on the subject of children. All entries for the contest must be in the hands of one of the officers of the club not later than Friday, May 7. A. A. Palko, a Carbide employee in the Y-12 Plant Area in Bldg. 9733-1, telephone 7313, is president of the club and his home address is 104 Princeton Ave. Mrs. Virginia Coleman, a former Y-12er, is vice president and lives at 307 Villanova Road. Secretary of the club is E. R. Taylor, of the K-25 Plant, whose address is 220 North Purdue.

Campbell has taken many photographs of the Smoky Mountain Park and aided in establishing the area as a park. He also has written and illustrated numerous magazine articles, including some in the National Geographic.



The following Y-12 employees were patients at the Oak Ridge Hospital last week:

M. C. Neeley and Ralph F. Graham, General Machine Shop; J. P. Wood, Alloy Division; Charles P. Davis, Field Maintenance; Lillie R. Rogers, Laundry; Avery Kendig, Transportation; B. F. Hope, Property Sales; B. L. Houser, Planning and Estimating; J. C. Bowles, Maintenance Division; Dorothy J. Smith, Health Physics; R. A. Bates, Jr., Chemical; E. Sharp, ADP Maintenance; W. L. Simmons, Project Construction.



### HENDRIX—MAYS

Thomas Bruce Hendrix, of the Y-12 Electrical Maintenance Department, and his bride, the former Miss Norma Sue Mays, are making their home at 1100 Chica-mauga Ave., Knoxville, following their marriage in Rome, Ga., on Saturday, April 24. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Lee Scott, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Rome, at the church.

Mrs. Hendrix is the daughter of N. H. Mays and the late Mrs. Mays, of Route No. 17, Knoxville. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hendrix, of Concord.

At her wedding the bride wore a dress of navy blue with white accessories. Attendants at the wedding with Mrs. Kathleen Davis, who was matron of honor; and John A. Davis, of the Y-12 General Machine Shop, who was best man.

## Rides Wanted, Offered

**Want To Participate In Car Pool**—From Townsite vicinity, Oak Ridge, straight day. O. T. Dunlap, plant telephone 7424, home telephone 5-5598, Oak Ridge.

**Driver Wanted For Car Pool**—From Fountain City or Inskip area, straight day. A. Wakefield, plant telephone 7-8221, home telephone 6-5843, Knoxville.

**Ride Wanted**—From corner West Hunter and Hillside, Oak Ridge, to North Portal, Shift Group C. Chlogene Keene, plant telephone 7248, home telephone 5-9839, Oak Ridge.

**Shift Riders Wanted**—From vicinity Jefferson Junior High School, Cedar Hill, Central Bus Terminal or Woodland Section, Oak Ridge. J. P. Seagle, Bldg. 9204-4, plant telephone 7527, home telephone 5-2082, Oak Ridge.

**Ride Wanted**—From Harriman to West Portal, B Shift. J. W. Fielder, plant telephone 7658, home telephone 373, Harriman.

**Three Riders Wanted**—From vicinity of Airplane Filling Station, Knoxville—Clinton Pike, straight day. E. F. Nickle, plant telephone 7-8246, home telephone Knox County 116, Ext. 4113.

**Want To Participate In Car Pool Or Want Five Riders**—From Rockwood, Rotating C Shift. S. W. Cox, plant telephone 7-8605, home telephone 72-R, Rockwood.

**Riders Wanted**—From vicinity of Fountain City to East Portal, straight day. W. H. Hatfield, plant telephone 7067, home telephone 6-3075, Knoxville.

**Rider Wanted**—From Bearden, straight day. W. L. Lowry, plant telephone 7177, home telephone 8-3260, Knoxville.

**Want to Join Car Pool**—From 222 North Purdue, Oak Ridge, straight day. Jack Workman, plant telephone 7203, home telephone 5-6912, Oak Ridge.

**Want to Join Car Pool**—From vicinity New York Ave. and Outer Drive, Oak Ridge, straight day. T. G. Pappas, plant telephone 7109, home telephone 5-8059, Oak Ridge.

**Want to Join Car Pool**—From 116 Northwestern Ave., Woodland Section, Oak Ridge, to North or Central Portal, straight day. L. D. Palmer, plant telephone 7659, home telephone, 2-1738, Oak Ridge.

**Ride Wanted Or Three Riders Wanted**—From Fountain City via Clinton Highway, straight day. T. H. Miller, plant telephone 7920, home telephone 3-3675.

**Ride Wanted**—From 111 Seneca, Oak Ridge, to North Portal, straight day. Pearl Youngblood, plant telephone 7629.

**Ride Wanted Or Will Take Riders**—From Keith and Western Ave., Knoxville, Group No. 3, A. W. Byford, plant telephone 7450, home telephone 3-1017, Knoxville.



ing place in the national life of the nation and, through international association, is observed in many foreign lands.

On Mother's Day custom has decreed that persons whose mothers are still alive wear a red flower, rose or carnation; while if the mother is dead, a white flower is worn.



# CARDS WILL OPEN WITH CANTON SATURDAY NIGHT



**THE Y-12 WOMEN'S VARSITY BOWLING TEAM CLINCHED first place in the Oak Ridge City League for the second straight year in play last week. From left the championship bowlers are Juanita Reed, Mavis Koons, Betty Whitehorn, Doris Walton and Ruby O'Kain.**

## Y-12 Women's Varsity Bowling Team Wins Second Oak Ridge City Crown

The Y-12 women's varsity bowling team sewed up the Oak Ridge City League championship for the second straight year as they took a three-point win from Bailey Motors last week at the Oak Terrace alleys. The Y-12 lassies have only one more night to roll and are leading the pack by eight points.

Ruby O'Kain led the scoring parade for Y-12 by rolling a 146, 179, 156—481; followed by Doris Walton 145, 126, 183—454; Betty Whitehorn 140, 143, 141—424; Dot Park 168, 117, 115—400; and Mavis Koons 147, 115, 133—395. Team totals for Y-12 were 746, 680, 728—2154 against 575, 653, 696—2106 for Bailey Motors.

The Y-12 keglerettes are to be congratulated for their fine performances throughout the bowling campaign as they have consistently recorded fine scores and showed a good spirit of fair play.

## Varsity Bowlers End City Season

The Y-12 men's varsity bowling team ended its season last week in the Oak Ridge City League by winning a whitewash victory from Warner-Guy. The victory enabled the Y-12ers to finish in fourth place in the loop. Max Friedman's pinsters won the coveted league title with Central Hardware in the runner-up position. The Y-12 men had three fine games last week by rolling a 838, 865, 981—2684 against 772, 823, 830—2425 for Warner-Guy.

Joe Pryson led the scoring parade for Y-12 with 191, 155, 243—589; followed by Ernie Cobble 169, 191, 211—571; Len Hart 166, 215, 166—547; George Schierbaum 174, 163, 199—536; and Jack Spears 138, 141, 162—441.

## Country Club Seeks New Memberships

The Oak Ridge Golf and Country Club is continuing its drive for members under direction of a membership promotion committee. W. M. Reynolds, one of Y-12's most gifted golfers, is the plant's representative on the committee and has asked any Y-12er interested in joining the club to communicate with him at telephone 7768, Bldg. 9739.

The club is offering both social and golf memberships. Prospective golf members may take advantage of a deferred payment plant which extends payments over a period of several months.

"The sum of wisdom is, that the time is never lost that is devoted to work."—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

## Guards Smash Way Toward First Place In Y-12 Plant Loop

### UCJV Still Unbeaten As Maintenance Slides Down League Ladder

Manager George McPherson's Guards diamond combine headed the victorious list of Y-12 Plant Softballers last week by turning in a pair of impressive wins, over the Engineers by 24 to 12 and defeating Bldg. 9212 by 15 to 14. Heavy hitting featured both tilts as a total of 69 hits were banged out by hard-hitting sluggers.

Joe Cavosie and J. H. Shoemaker, both of the Guards, slammed home runs in the Engineer tussle while McPherson collected four straight hits for the winners. Foresman led the Engineers with three hits. Bldg. 9212 gave the Guards a close chase all the way by scoring seven big runs in the last inning. C. L. Stevens, Guards catcher, came through with four hits for the winners while R. G. Marlar blasted out four bingles for the losing 9212 team.

Ed Hawkins pitched a one hitter for the Uranium Control Junior Varsity as the league leaders trounced the cellar dwelling Steamers 9 to 0. Bill Belvin, UCJV second sacker, tore fences down by getting four hits for the winners.

### Maintenance Drops Two Tilts

Maintenance slid to sixth place in the loop by dropping two well played games, the first to the Bombers by 10 to 9 in a thriller and the other to the 49ers by 8 to 2. The Bombers had their hitting shoes on as Rains and Henry each hit a homer while Floyd Kyte, of Maintenance, banged one over the fence. Teno threw a good game for the 49ers and also hit a four-master to pace their lone victory while B. H. Montgomery led Maintenance in this tussle with three straight hits.

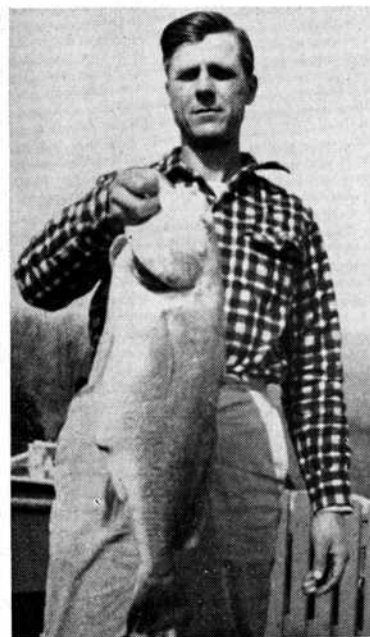
Line scores and league standing follows:

Team	R	H	E
Maintenance	302	020	2—9 11 1
Bombers	242	001	1—10 12 0
Jones and Everett, Ramsey and Shotts.			
Guards	110	480	1—15 20 3
Bldg. 9212	101	230	7—14 15 1
Burnett and Stevens, Horton and Marlar.			
Steamers	000	000	0—0 1 0
UCJV	160	100	1—9 16 0
Spradling and Simmons, Hawkins and Hopkins.			
Engineers	403	104	0—12 10 2
Guards	1500	441	0—24 24 3
Goosie and Wolfe, Burnett and Haggard.			
49ers	220	020	2—8 8 0
Maintenance	001	010	0—2 9 1
Teno and Miller, Jones and Everett.			

Team	W	L
UCJV	3	0
Guards	2	0
Bombers	2	1
ADP	2	1
49ers	2	1
Maintenance	2	2
Bldg. 9212	1	2
Engineers	0	3
Steamers	0	4



**STRONG CONTENDERS IN THE Y-12 PLANT SOFTBALL team are expected to be the Bldg. 9212 team, shown here. Front row, from left, are Jack Beams, Bill Helton, W. B. Crowder, R. Bose and O. M. Vermillion. In the rear are B. Wright, A. Wright, J. Myers, C. M. Mose, B. Boucher, A. B. Campbell and Lee Horton.**



**THIS BIG GRANDDADDY of the drums hereabouts is the entry of L. B. Morrow, General Machine Shop, in the Y-12 1954 Fishing Contest, rough fish division. This finny candidate for top honors in the class was taken in the Emory River on Hadacol bait.**

## Fish Caught During Rodeo Are Eligible For Annual Contest

Fish caught during the second Y-12 Fishing Rodeo that got underway at midnight Sunday and extends through Sunday, June 6 are eligible to enter in the Y-12 1954 Annual Fishing Contest, anglers of the plant are reminded.

About the only difference in rules in the rodeo and annual contest events are that in the latter a picture must be submitted along with the entry for honors. Also in the rodeo any member of the family of a Y-12er may submit entries for fish caught during the rodeo period. No charge is made for entering fish in the annual contest while tickets for the rodeo sell for only 50 cents each.

Complete rules for each of the fishing competitions are printed on the entry blanks — or rodeo tickets as the case might be.

Indications point to a record number of Y-12 anglers participating in the rodeo that started Sunday as a near record number of tickets were sold for the event. The Recreation Office announced last week that no extension of the ticket sale deadline from April 30 would be made allowing for late entries into the event.

## B League, Orioles Set Opening Dates

Drills are going full steam ahead for both the Y-12 "B" softball team and the Slo Pitch diamond crew. The Woodpeckers are entered in the Oak Ridge Recreation League and are managed by Avery Kendig, of the Transportation Department. League play for the Woodpeckers is expected to get underway on Thursday night, May 13, at Midtown Field No. 1.

W. C. "Andy" Anderson, of Receiving and Shipping is managing the Slo Pitch group and the Orioles will be gunning for the title in the Oak Ridge Slo Pitch League. Regular season play for the Orioles will begin next Wednesday night, May 12, at Midtown Field No. 1.

Both the Woodpeckers and Orioles are in need of players. Any male employee in the Y-12 plant desiring to play with either of the teams may communicate with Manager Kendig, telephone 7539; or Manager Anderson, telephone 7691; or the Recreation Office, Bldg. 9704-2, telephone 7753.

## Twinbill Features Midtown Program; Opening Lineup Set

### Loy To Seek First Win For Veteran Y-12 Team; K-25, ORNL See Action

The stage is set for a big night at Midtown Field No. 1 in Oak Ridge on Saturday, May 8, when the Y-12 Cardinals will clash with the Canton, N. C., Champions in the featured game of a double-header for the benefit of the Oak Ridge Cancer Society. The first game of the twin bill will start at 7 p.m. with the K-25 Blues playing the Oak Ridge National Laboratory softballers.

Manager Roy Roberts and his able assistant, Harold Babb, has announced that Robert "Rapid" Loy will take the hill for the opening encounter. Loy was one of the mainstays on the fine Cardinal team of 1953 as he posted a record of 16 wins and only two losses. Other starters for the Cards will be James "Jiggs" Seivers, catcher; Gene Huskisson or Don Pitt, first base; Tom Perry, second base; Kayo Montgomery, shortstop; Dick Wyrick, third base; Walter Simmons or Dan Stroud, left field; Walter Sherrod, center field; and Raymond Caton, right field. Montgomery will serve as field captain for the Y-12ers this season. A highly touted newcomer, Tom Headrick, also will see action this season as a catcher.

Regular league play for the Cards will start on Monday night, May 10, in Oak Ridge against an unnamed Knox-Ridge League opponent. Either Bill Wilburn or Morris Perry, two of the finest hurlers in the state will make their mound debut in the Knox-Ridge opener.

The Y-12 Robins will be entered in the women's division of the Knox-Ridge League this season. Play in the loop will begin Monday night, May 10. Definite starters for the Robins will not be decided until game time as several positions are still open and competition is being waged for the starting berths.

A league schedule for both the Robins and Cards will be announced later.

## Bumpers Keep Pace In B Pin Circuit

The Bumpers are keeping an amazing pace in the B League as they marked up a whitewash victory over the Tigers last week at the Oak Terrace alleys. Another whitewash win was turned in by the second place Rebels over the Has Beens. Other league action saw the All Stars and Swingsters win three-point victories from the Cubs and Bldg. 9211, respectively. The Rippers and Cubs fought to a deadlock in their hard-fought match.

Ed Gambill, of the Wolves, blasted the pins with a 215 scratch game, boosted to 242 with handicap and a 631 handicap series. Ernie Cobble, Bumpers, got into the act with a 568 scratch series. The All Stars swept most of the team honors by rolling a 1011 handicap game, a 2521 scratch series and a 2947 handicap series. The Bumpers came in with a 878 scratch game.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Bumpers	31	5
Rebels	25	11
Rippers	20½	15½
Tigers	20	16
All Stars	18	18
Has Beens	18	18
Cubs	16	20
Wolves	15	17
Bldg. 9211	14	22
Wasps	13	23
Strikers	20	12
Swingsters	9½	26½



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## Ridge Safety Lane Will Open May 24

The semi-annual inspection period at the Oak Ridge Safety Lane will begin on Monday, May 24, it was announced last week at the office of Oak Ridge Police Chief C. T. Vettle. The period originally was scheduled to begin on Monday, May 3, but a delay in the arrival of the stickers to be attached to cars passing the inspection tests forced the postponement.

When it is opened, operating hours at the Safety Lane will be from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

The inspection and tests offered at the Safety Lane should be regarded as a privilege by all Y-12 motorists as it determines if their vehicles are in a safe operating condition. Brakes, lights, windshield wipers, horns and other equipment necessary for the safe operation of an automobile are thoroughly checked. Patronage at the Safety Lane for the inspection period last winter was reported considerably below those of previous periods, but Oak Ridge police authorities are hopeful that with the summer vacation season approaching more motorists will take advantage of the Safety Lane facilities—as well as observing the law—by having their cars examined as soon as possible after the lane opens May 24.

## Rippers Keep Pace In Golf Circuit

The Rippers continued a fine pace in the Y-12 Plant Golf League last week by winning two points the easy way via the forfeit route over the Eagles. The improving Rough Riders and Plugs are tied for second place as they won two points from the Dubbers and Bogies, respectively. Another forfeit victory was turned in by the Hooks over the Divot Diggers while the Fat Boys and Gophers postponed their match until a later date. Other two-point wins were turned in by the Grand Slammers over the Crooks and by the Chippers over ADP.

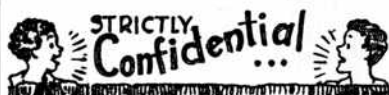
Jake Burchfield shot a 40 to take low score honors while subbing with the Grand Slammers. The top 13 golfers in the Y-12 Plant Golf League based on current averages are listed below.

1. Arthur Hines.
2. Bill Baumann.
3. Jake Burchfield.
4. Dan Berrier.
5. C. Harrell.
6. Larry Koontz.
7. Frank Burchfield.
8. O. E. Wiggins.
9. Jack Spears.
10. J. C. Bowles.
11. Bill Reynolds.
12. John Snyder.
13. Harvey Saylor.

League standing follows:

Team	W
Rippers	8
Rough Riders	6
Plugs	6
ADP	4
Hooks	4
Grand Slammers	4
Chippers	4
Crooks	4
Fat Boys	4
Eagles	4
Gophers	4
Bogies	0
Dubbers	0

Work is the inevitable condition of human life, the true source of human welfare, Tolstoy.



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Hall at Lake City are Stores near-at-home vacationers . . . E. D. Seagle and the missus went over to Winston-Salem, N. C.

R. R. Tippy, of Manufacturing Office Department, airplaned up to New York last week to attend a meeting of SAM (Society for Advancement of Management). While gone a feminine colleague put a new twist on the meaning of the initials—it's good too.

### TECHNICAL DIVISION

Of course, when there are some "firsts" to record, some Y-12er is mixed up in it some way. The table top TeeVee set of Elkin Burkhart, Laboratory Operations, caught on fire last week—maybe a short-circuited witness at that Washington senatorial shindig circus blew a fuse and it was reflected in Elkin's squawk box.

ADP Development's Mary Alice Cox and her husband, Benny, are enjoying beach life at Atlantic, N. C., this week . . . Bob Bennett and family are going to Treasure Island, Fla., also to visit Bill Haase, Sr., this week . . . Still another Florida vacationer is Paul Long and family—at Silver Springs.

Dorsey Bruner, of Civil Architectural Engineering is happily spending her vacation with her husband at home on leave from the Navy.

Chemical and Industrial Engineering cigar smokers had supplies restocked last week when R. J. Reed reported the birth of a son, born April 26 at the Harriman Hospital, weighing seven pounds, eight ounces, and named Forrest Eugene . . . Pat Howard is a vacationer of the week.

This baby business also was being celebrated in Health Physics where Wade Roberts reported birth of a daughter up in Evarts, Ky. . . . Jack Bounds vacationed last week . . . Fred Williams is welcomed as a newcomer to the department.

Appropriately closing this opus with the worst pun of the week to seep through the hallowed walls of this office—

When buying a pooch, be sure its a bargain, because a "bargain dog never bites."  
Woowow !

## Surplus Property Sales Set For Two Saturdays In May

The popular surplus property sales will be held on Saturday, May 8, and Saturday, May 22, at the Carbide warehouses on the River Road. Y-12ers and other Oak Ridgers have been obtaining a lot of useful scrap and other surplus material at the twice monthly sales. The hours for the sales are from 8 a.m. until noon.

### SECRETS ALMOST REVEALED

Japanese scientists have come "dangerously close" to giving Russia the secret of the United States hydrogen bomb by making public detailed reports of elements found in radioactive ashes that burned Japanese fishermen, according to the New York Journal-American in quoting "undisclosed American sources."

## Another Group Of Y-12 Employees Advanced On April 1 For Effective Records On Job

Another group of Y-12ers earned promotions, effective April 1, for exceptional work records compiled since their employment. A total of 27 Y-12 employees were on the promotion list and The Y-12 Bulletin this week is citing 16 for them for their advancement. The remaining 11 will be recognized for their advancement in next week's edition of The Bulletin. All but one of the Y-12ers are in the Mechanical Operations Division.

W. J. Mackley — The only Y-12er in the April promotion list not in the Mechanical Operations, he was promoted from Shop Inspector to assistant foreman in the Production Inspection Department of the Accountability and Inspection Division. He was employed on September 15, 1946.

M. M. Dickens—In the D Me-

chanical Operations Department, he was promoted from machine tool and equipment clerk to foreman. He has been a Y-12 employee since September 20, 1950.

H. H. Law—He was promoted from experimental machinist to assistant foreman in the B Mechanical Operations Department. His Y-12 employment dates from December 8, 1950.

P. C. Larue — Also in the B Mechanical Operations Department he likewise was advanced from experimental machinist to assistant foreman. He has been a Y-12 employee since November 7, 1945.

R. M. Chapman—A Y-12 employee since June 5, 1950, he was promoted from experimental machinist to assistant foreman in the General Machine Shop.

C. E. Bolyard — His promotion also was from experimental machinist to assistant foreman in the B Mechanical Operations Department. He has been a Y-12er since August 29, 1950.

H. E. Aivey — Also in the B Mechanical Operations Department he was advanced from experimental machinist to assistant foreman. He has been in Y-12 since July 9, 1951.

J. D. Lovin — In the General Machine Shop, he was promoted from metal fabricator to assistant foreman. He has been a Y-12 employee since September 15, 1952.

T. C. Underwood—An old timer in Y-12, having been employed on September 23, 1944, he was promoted from machinist to assistant foreman in the General Machine Shop.

W. J. McPeters—Another B Mechanical Operations Department employee, he was advanced from machinist to assistant foreman. He was employed on May 14, 1951.

D. H. Laurendine — Also promoted in the B Mechanical Operations Department from machinist to assistant foreman, he has been a Y-12 employee since July 25, 1951.

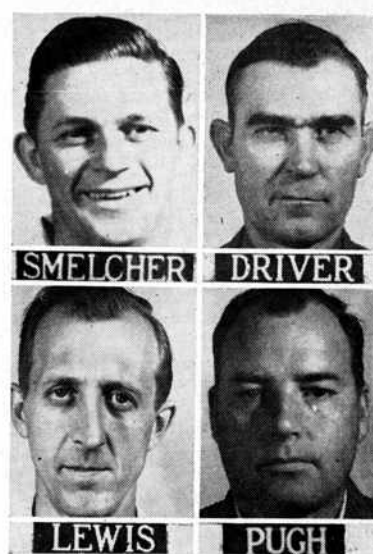
Carl Jones — He was advanced from experimental machinist to assistant foreman in B Mechanical Operations. He has been a Y-12er since August 13, 1951.

A. F. Smelcher — A Y-12 employee since June 15, 1948, he was promoted from machinist to assistant foreman in the A Mechanical Operations Department.

L. V. Driver—Previously a shop inspector in the B Mechanical Operations Department, he was advanced to assistant foreman. He was employed on January 3, 1951.

J. A. Lewis—He was promoted to assistant foreman from machinist in the B Mechanical Operations Department. His Y-12 employment dates from November 28, 1947.

E. L. Pugh—A Y-12 employee since October 23, 1946, he was promoted from maintenance machinist to assistant foreman in the B Mechanical Operations Department.



## Attendance Record

MAJOR LEAGUE More Than 50 Employees Scheduled				
Dept.	Absent	4-25-54	4-18-54	Standing
2794	0.0	1	2	
2799	0.3	2	3	
2142	0.4	3	17	
2037	1.4	4	4	
2008	1.5	5		
2091	1.6	6	10	
2690	1.65	7	7	
2003	1.67	8	6	
2001	1.8	9	18	
2005	1.85	10	13	
2015	1.89	11	16	
2792	2.0	12	12	
2617	2.06	13	9	
2077	2.08	14	5	
2026	2.12	15	8	
2002	2.6	16	10	
2791	2.8	17	1	
2014	3.6	18	19	
2018	3.7	19	14	
2619	5.3	20	15	
2257	6.6	21	20	

Group absentee percentage was 2.1 per cent, .3 per cent lower than the preceding week.

MINOR LEAGUE 15-49 Employees Scheduled				
Dept.	Absent	4-25-54	4-18-54	Standing
2139	0.0	1	1	
2058	0.0	1	1	
2093	0.0	1	1	
2094	0.0	1	1	
2302	0.0	1	1	
2260	0.0	1	1	
2743	0.0	1	15	
2143	0.0	1	18	
2057	0.0	1	21	
2107	0.0	1	24	
2618	0.0	1	25	
2025	0.55	12	1	
2301	0.58	13	14	
2200	0.7	14	1	
2068	0.8	15	26	
2144	0.9	16	23	
2108	1.7	17	20	
2070	2.1	18	1	
2066	2.17	19	16	
2216	2.18	20	13	
2140	2.5	21	17	
2230	3.6	22	12	
2231	4.1	23	22	
2145	4.4	24	19	
2046	5.6	25	1	
2059	6.17	26	1	
2096	6.19	27	27	

Group absentee percentage was 1.9 per cent, remaining the same as the preceding week.

The plant average for the week ending April 25 was two per cent, .2 per cent lower than the preceding week.

The richness of our own lives, creative and receptive, depends on how closely we identify ourselves with the struggles and problems, individual and social, as well as with the hopes and ideals of the age in which we live—Anita Block.

